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PROPOSED AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action of July 3, 2006, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

There are no amendments to the Specification in this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

There are no amendments to the Drawings in this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.